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In re Application of)
HIGASHINO et al.)
Application No. 09/737,564)
Filed: December 18, 2000)
For: STATOR FOR AN ALTERNATOR)

DECISION ON PETITION TO
RESET PERIOD FOR REPLY

This is a decision on the petition filed on January 25, 2002, requesting that the shortened statutory period for reply set forth in the Office action dated December 12, 2001, be reset.

The petition is dismissed.

Petitioner has provided a statement that the Office action in question was received at the correspondence address of record on January 22, 2002. Petitioner requests that the period for reply to the Office action be reset.

An inspection of the application file indicates that a reply to the December 12, 2001 Office action was timely received on March 12, 2002. Accordingly, the petition to reset the period for reply to the December 12, 2001 Office action is dismissed as moot.

The application file is being forwarded to the technical support staff for Technology Center 2800 for processing of the reply filed on March 12, 2002. No fee is required for the petition.

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